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Serial No.: 09/492,578	Filing Date: January 27, 2000	Examiner: Gregory J. Toatley	Group Art Unit: 2836	
Inventor(s): Yasushi Shibuya, et al.				
Title of Invention: ELECTRONIC DEVICE HAVING RETRACTABLE MOVABLE MEMBER PROVIDED ON FRONT SURFACE				

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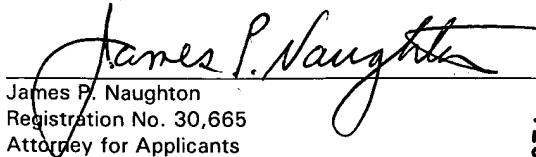
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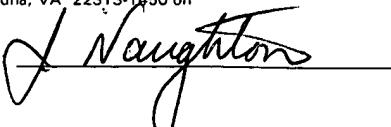
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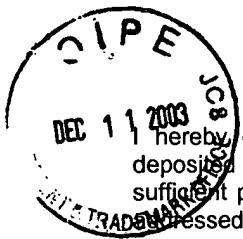
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In re Application of:)	
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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

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Dear Sir:

This Amendment is timely filed on December 8, 2003 in response to the non-final Office Action dated October 6, 2003. Applicants request reconsideration of this application in view of the following claim amendments and remarks.

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